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INVESTMENT IN INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) Whether the country needs investments worth 492 billion dollars till 2012 for infrastructun Development; and

(b) If so, the details thereof?

Answer

Minister of State in the Ministry of Finance (SHRI P.K BANSAL)

(a) to (b) In a recent discussion paper Planning Commission has estimated the Public and private investment in each infrastructure sector during the Eleventh Plan based on a detailed review of sector trends, including historic evolution of Plan expenditures. This `bottom-up` exercise yields total investment in infrastructure during the Eleventh Plan(2007-2012) of Rs. 23,84,905 crore or USS 581.68 billion (at Rs. 41/USS).Assuming conservatively that 15 per cent of the investment projected on the basis of detailed sectoral analysis will spill over to the Twelfth Plan(2012-2017) it is estimated that total investment in infrastructure during the Eleventh Plan period (2007-2012) would amount to Rs. 20,27,169 crore (or USS 494.43 billion). The sectoral break-up is given in the table below.

Sector	Investment Projection during 2007-12at 2006-07 prices in Rs. crore
Electricity	616,526
Roads	311,816
Telecom	267,001
Railways	258,001
Irrigation	223,131
Water Supply and Sanitation	199,127
Ports	73,941
Airports	34,748
Storage	22,378
Gas	20,500
Total Investment	2027,169
TotalfUS $ billion)	494.43